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Prevent Fires By Simple Commonsense

Joseph A Flynn, Director, State Fire Prevention, states there's no better time to think and talk about fire and the prevention of fire than this week—the one week in the year set aside by presidential proclamation as Fire Prevention Week. There's no better time to take stock of conditions in our homes, our factories, our churches, our stores, our public buildings.

Fire prevention is largely very simple....you might call it common sense in action. It's a job at which all of us—not just the manufacturer, the merchant, the farmer—can help. The same causes of fires existing a generation ago—careless smoking, defective wiring and heating installations, spontaneous combustion—continue to kill our countrymen tnd destroy our property.

What to do about all this? Here are some things you can do.... some little things—yet some very important things — that will make every week Fire Prevention Week ....and that will make your home a place to live, not a place to die.

Here are some of the things we can do. We can get rid of rubbish before somebody accidentally drops a match in it. We can smoke, but keep in mind that careless smoking habits are responsible for a quarter of the fires that occur annually.

When we smoke, we should remember never to walk away from a lighted cigaret. We should see that all our ashtrays are big enough and so designed that they will not spill hot ashes or cigaret ends onto rugs, furniture or the smoker.

We can keep open paint cans outdoors and store gasoline, kerosene or flamable cleaning fluids only in tightly covered containers and in well-ventilated places.

Here's a special note for the ladies: I suggest that when you have to get rid of any dusty substance — such as the sweepings from your vacuum cleaner or carpet sweeper or old flour you be sure to wrap it up tightly in paper. If you don't wrap it up, but just toss it into the incinerator or the furnace, it may form a dust cloud that will explode when it hits the fire. There have been many explosions of this type that have damaged homes and injured housewives.

There's another safety habit that is especially important with winter coming on. The nation's fire losses for the last ten years show that on the average these losses increae forty-four per cent from September to December. Losses continue to mount all during the winter months. That means that we must be doubly careful about stoves and furnaces. We must check them thoroughly before we light a fire in a fall.

Worn, rusted or broken parts should be replaced — particularly the smokepipe. You will appreciate that any holes in these pipes will permit heat or sparks to escape, probably starting a blaze. If smoke pipes are close to ceilings or partitions, either change their positions

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Jack Wyrtzen

EVANGELIST JACK WYRTZEN TO HOLD RALLIES AT NORWAY OPERA HOUSE NEXT WEEK

Jack Wyrtzen will conduct rallies at Norway Opera House on October 14th, 15th, and 16th.

A dynamic young evangelist, Jack Wyrtzen has held massive rallies, overflowing Carnegie Hall and Madison Square Garden in New York City, the Philadelphia Convention Hall and the Boston Garden. In June, 1948, he led a Word of Life Rally at New York's Yankee Stadium with 40,000 attending.

Born in Brooklyn, N. Y., Jack Wyrtzen was formerly an insurance agent during the day, and at night he led his own dance band, playing for fraternity clubs and sorority dances. He was a member of the 101st Cavalry Band in Brooklyn, and played his trombone on horseback in the U. S. Cavalry Band.

For more than ten years Jack Wyrtzen has directed the Word of Life Hour broadcast on a network of stations including WMGM New York. Beginning September 27, 1952 Mr Wyrtzen added the Yankee Network to his list of stations. This program is also heard around the world by short wave. The Word of Life can be heard locally on WCOU every Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

Pioneering the television field three years ago, Jack Wyrtzen was convinced that television was a powerful medium to reach unsaved. Entering this field with a new informal program called Word of Life Songtime, the overwhelming response from the TV audience was clear indication that television had wonderful possibilities for presenting the gospel in a new and different way. Every step, every plan, every thought in this direction was given to prayerful consideration, and the Lord distinctly led in plans to expand in this effort. Songtime was seen on the ABC TV network from coast to coast on Saturday nights. While Mr Wyrtzen has not taken definite steps to go back on the TV network at this time, he is giving it serious consideration.

Jack Wyrtzen's aim is to reach the high school and college youth, as he firmly believes he has the only answer to the delinquency problem.

Travelling with Jack Wyrtzen are five fellows who assist him in his rallies around the country, as well as on the Word of Life Radio Broadcast. The Word of Life Quartet consists of Bob Anthony, Dave Harris, Bruce Woodman and Bob Schindler. Pianist is Bill Fasig.

The Week in Oxford County

Erlon Bean of Milton Plantation was severely injured Friday in an automobile crash on a curve at Rumford Corner. He was treated at the Rumford Hospital and later transferred to the CMG Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Charles Arsenault of Milton Plantation celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday evening at Rumford Community Hall.

Canton's oldest citizen, John K Forhan, observed his 90th birthday Monday. His health is good and he maintains interest in affairs of his town, county and State. He has led an extremely active life, capable in many skills, travelled a great deal and served in the State Legislature for several years. Mr Forhan has been a member of the Odd Fellows at Canton for 60 years and of the Masonic Lodge in Sedgewick for 63 years.

The Oxford County Republican committee is meeting tonight (Oct. 9) at the court house, South Paris. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30.

The first meeting of the Central Oxford School of Religion was held Wednesday evening, Oct. 1, at the Universalist Church, Norway. Meetings will be held consecutive Wednesdays through Nov. 5.

HARVEST SUPPER
Methodist Church
Thurs., Oct. 16, 6:30 p. m.
TICKETS $1.00
See Elsie Davis for Tickets

"All You Can Eat"
HARMON'S FAMOUS
FRIED CLAM DINNER
Oct. 26, 1952
I. O. O. F. HALL
Sponsored by Rebekahs
TICKETS: Norma Jodrey

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6 room House & Garage. Insulated. Price $4,000.00. See Homer H. Hamlin, Realtor, Gorham, N. H.

CUB SCOUTS ORGANIZED FOR YEAR'S WORK

George Taylor, Cubmaster of the Bethel Cub Scout Pack No. 165, has announced the following to serve as Pack Committee for the year: Donald Christie, chairman; Avery Angevine, Willard Boynton, John Howe.

The Den Mothers, Den Chiefs, and Cubs for each Den are as follows:

Den No. 1: Den Mother, Mrs Wilbur Myers; Den Chief, (one to be chosen); Cubs: David Myers, Kenneth Pease, James Bartlett and Edward Tibbetts.

Den No. 2: Den Mother, Mrs Aksel Andersen; Den Chief, Dennis Robertson; Cubs: Peter Andersen, Peter Davis, Raymond Harrington, Jeffrey Hutchins, Donald Christie, Donald Rice, and Douglas Rice.

Den No. 3: Den Mothers, Mrs Avery Angevine and Mrs Willard Boynton: Den Chief, Walter Kittredge; Cubs: David Boynton, Donald Angevine, Christen Angevine, John Howe, Stanley Moore, Wayne Perry.

Den No. 4: Den Mother, Mrs Addison Saunders; Den Chief, Douglas Monfette; Cubs: Stephen Saunders, Delma McMillin, Frank Swan, David Salway, Kent Taylor, Charles Eypper, Dennis Grenier, and Dwight Lord.

Den No. 5: Den Mother, Mrs Francis Noyes; Den Chief, Jerry Smith; Cubs: Nelson Smith, Hartley Noyes, Orlando Fraser, Jerry Freeman and Roy Newton.

Den No. 6: Den Mother, Mrs James Brown; Den Chief, Richard Roberts; Cubs: Leroy Brown, Mark Bennett, Frederick DeRoche, Richard Angevine, Lindon Felt, and Kennard Bennett.

The Dens started their weekly meetings on Tuesday, Oct. 7, with their Den Mothers. The subject for the month is "The Mail Goes Through." Dens 4 & 5 visited the Post Office following their Den meeting on Tuesday. Miss Packard made their visit very interesting and presented each boy with a gift, a new stamp commemorating the "New Bible." Each Den will prepare a "skit" on the subject of the month. These "skits" will be presented at the Pack meeting on Friday, Oct. 31, at the West Parish Church at 7:00 P. M.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr and Mrs Henry Westleigh have moved to their new home on Vernon Street.

Mrs Mabel K Robertson returned Monday from a trip to Washington and Virginia.

Voters wishing absentee ballots should obtain them soon from Margaret B Baker, town clerk.

Mrs Florence Johansson and Mrs Lillian Kneeland called last Friday at Mr and Mrs Guy Rice's.

Miss Janice Lord is one of three University of Maine freshmen recently elected to the Student Senate.

Mr and Mrs Clayton Crockett and children, Cynthia and David, spent Sunday with her mother in Milton.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Lord and son, Dwight, will attend the Parents Week End at the University of Maine.

Mrs Ruth Wilkinson of Holderness, N. H., is spending a few weeks with her son, Harold Conner, and family.

To be in line with other out-of-season blossoms, a rose bush is reported in bloom at the home of Mrs Frank Bartlett.

M/Sgt Borden Foster, who has been stationed in England several months, is spending a 30 day leave with his family here.

Mr and Mrs Charles Reed and Mr and Mrs John Dillingham were recent visitors of Mr and Mrs Harold Smith at Falmouth.

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At Bethel
New House on Vernon Street. 4 rooms, garage in basement. Chance for 2 more rooms in attic. Insulated. Lot 100x200. Price $6,850.00. See Homer H. Hamlin, Realtor, Gorham, N. H.

Two Attend Observers' Meeting Here

Two members of the Bethel Ground Observer Corps and two local Civil Defense officials comprised the audience at the meeting at the Legion rooms Monday evening. S/Sgt. Gordon Morris and A/1c Frank Akman of the Bangor Filter Center were present. They discussed problems of the sky watch, answered questions, and showed a motion picture which explained the objects and possible accomplishments of 24-hour air look-out.

Recording of all airplanes sighted or heard and reporting to the filter center of all multi-motored craft serve as a safeguard to ourselves and to our own fliers. The larger planes may be enemy bombers which are escaping detection by radar, and records of other flights noted by observers may aid in determining the course of missing fliers.

The filter center representatives stated that the local lack of interest in this service is typical of many places, although several observation posts in Oxford County have been manned around the clock since alerted in July. Although many who have agreed to serve as observers have never done so, others refuse because it is not necessary (which all hope is true) or they are too busy. The "too busy" excuse seems to be most used.

Serving in pairs, so that there should be assurance of one on duty at all times, 168 persons would be needed to fill two-hour shifts seven days a week. Several periods are filled regularly by one person, and one is there for a four hour stretch each week. Persons who can spare two hours a week, and believe that our armed forces autorities may know what is needed, can get further information from Raymond Dexter or George Taylor.

Attendance at the Monday meeting was much better than at a recently scheduled meeting of local Civil Defense police at which none appeared.

REBEKAHS HOLD INSTALLATION

The regular meeting of Sunset Rebekah Lodge was held Monday evening following a pot-luck supper served at 6:30. The new officers were installed by DDP Martha Estes and his assistants.

Officers installed were: Noble Grand, Ella Cole; Vice Grand Elsie Poore; Recording Secretary Hilda Donahue; Financial Secretary Norma Jodrey; Treasurer Jeordie Merrill; Warden, Ruth Kittredge; Conductor, Blanche Berryment; Color Bearer Fern Jordan; Chaplain, Eugenia Haselton; Musician, Ruby Beggs; RSNG, Beatrice Brown; LSNG, Faith Brown; RSVG Maud Hunt; LSVG, Phyllis Blake; Inside Guardian Alice Taylor; Outside Guardian, Dora Ford.

It was voted to have a fried clam dinner Oct. 26 with the following committee: Norma Jodrey, Ruth Kittredge, Lavina Bartlett, Violet Bennett.

Turkey-Chicken Shoots
At South Bethel
Every Sunday in October
12:30 p. m.
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FLINT HOMESTEAD, ALBANY, BURNED WEDNESDAY P. M.

The farm home of Preston Flint in Albany was burned to the ground Wednesday afternoon, the fire starting in the barn. Firemen from North Waterford were able to save furniture, a cow and a pig. Loss was estimated at $2,000.

STATE WATER OFFICIALS IN ANNUAL MEETING HERE

The annual meeting of the Maine Water Utilities Association was held at the Bethel Congregational Church Wednesday with about 115 in attendance. A paper on the history of the Bethel Water Company was read by Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, president and manager.

HARRINGTON—RICHARDSON

Miss Linda Richardson, daughter of Mr and Mrs Ralph Richardson, of Hanover, Maine, and Gerald Harrington, son of Mr and Mrs Bernard Harrington, of Greenwood, Maine, were married at the Methodist Parsonage, October 4th, by Rev David Hickland, using the double ring service.

Mrs Neda Hutchinson, sister of the bride was matron of honor. The best man was Rodney Harrington, brother of the groom.

The bride attended the schools of Hanover and Rumford Point and Gould Academy.

The groom attended the schools of Bethel and is employed as a truck driver by Joseph Deegan.

Following the ceremony an informal reception was held at the place in which they will live in West Greenwood. Many friends and relatives were waiting to congratulate them. They received many nice gifts. During the serving of refreshments the bride and groom cut the wedding cake which was made by Mrs Rita Davis, cousin of the groom. A birthday cake was presented to the groom, prepared by Mrs Joseph Deegan.

During the evening the couple left for a short honeymoon in Massachusetts.

GRADE II BROWNIES

The second grade Brownies met at Rachel MacKay's home for their first meeting Wednesday afternoon Oct 8, with 10 present. Games were played and The Brownie Story was read. We learned our Smile Song and Brownie Pledge. Officers as follows were elected: Jackie Saunders secretary; and Norma Jean Kimball, treasurer. We made marshmallow sandwiches and had [illegible] for refreshments.

Jackie Saunders, secretary.

[illegible] Crockett from Norway spent the evening last Thursday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Ray Crockett and brother and family, Mr and Mrs Clayton Crockett.

Miss Marlene Marshall was winner of the Shellubrication contest sponsored by Roth Carver Ames last week, finding 558 words in the letters of Shellubrication.

HARVEST SUPPER
and DANCE
Newry Corner Grange Hall
FRIDAY, OCT. 17
Good Music
SUPPER FROM 6:30 to 8
Supper 75c Dancing 60c

600 Needed In Woods Work

Unemployment in the Rumford area decreased sharply during September, according to an analysis released by Manager Ernest F Lever, Jr.,of the Employment Security office at 244 Waldo Street. Bethel is in the area served by the Rumford MESC office.

Factors in the employment increase were the recall of many workers to wood turning plants, and heavy demand for workers preparing to open a large new department store in the area.

Lever noted an "acute shortage" in all classifications of the lumbering industry, and a shortage of domestic workers for sporting camps in the Rangeley section.

The Rumford office made 275 September placements, all in nonfarm work, a marked increase over 151 non-agricultural placements in August. However, in August, Lever's office made 7,727 agricultural placements, largely for harvesting perishable food crops.

At the close of September business, the office listed 669 unfilled job openings, of which 90 percent were in the woods industry.

At the end of the month, the Rumford office had 166 workers, largely unskilled, as compared with 321 as the month began.

CPL. RONALD D. CUSHING

Cpl Ronald D Cushing was killed in action in Korea Sept. 28.

He was born in Gilead Nov. 11, 1929. He is survived by his parents, Mr and Mrs Gerald D Cushing, and two brothers, Robert and Roderick, of Jay, and his paternal grandparents, Mr and Mrs Douglas Cushing of West Bethel.

Cpl Cushing had been overseas since July and was a member of Co. C, 120 Eng. (C) Bn., 45 Inf. Div. He enlisted in February, 1951, and following basic training at Camp Rucker, Ala., specialized in demolition at Fort Belvoir, Va.

Before entering the service, he was graduated from Dixfield High School and Hebron Academy and attended Bates College one year.

W. S. C. S. TO HOLD SUPPER OCT. 16

The W S C S will hold a harvest supper at the Methodist Church Thursday evening October 16 at 6:30. Mrs S S Greenleaf is general chairman, assisted by:

Supper committee: Mrs Phillips Brooks, Mrs Donald Christie, Mrs Perry Lapham, Mrs Norman Hall, Mrs Alton Laxton.

Dining room committee: Mrs Clayton Fossett, Mrs Fern Jordan.

Clean-up committee: Mrs Clifford Merrill, Mrs Agnes Brooks, Mrs Stanley Brown, Mrs Wade Thurston.

Tickets: Mrs Earl Davis.

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NORWAY, MAINE
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Interruption
Electric Service
SUNDAY MORNING, OCT. 12, 1952
1:00 A. M. - 5:00 A. M.

There will be an interruption of electric service Sunday morning, Oct. 12th, from 1:00 A. M. to 5:00 A. M., in the following communities:

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LOOKING AHEAD

by GEORGE S. BENSON
President—Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas

A New Game

"The Shadow"

Here is a new game to play in your home. It could be called "The Shadow." For materials you will want an outline map of the United States. Be sure you draw in, roughly, the borders of the individual 48 states. Johnny's or Susy's geography book will be helpful in mapping the states and locating their borders. When the outline map is completed, take a black crayon or heavy black pencil and make a black blotch over the lower two-thirds of the state of California.

Then give your wife (or husband or children) the privilege of guessing the meaning of the shaded area in California. If you want to make it more of a game, let the contestants ask 20 questions, like they do on the TV program, "The Name's the Game" to get clues to the correct answer. If they guess it, fine; if not you tell them. The answer is: The shaded area in California represents what total Federal government expenditures were for the fiscal year 1929 in terms of the total income of people. In other words, the Federal government in 1929 spent for all purposes an amount that could have been [illegible] by taking the total incomes of the people in the lower two-thirds of California.

The Shadow Spreads

Now take the black crayon again. Black out the rest of California and these states too: Oregon, Washington, Nevada, Utah, Montana, Colorado, Idaho, Arizona, New Mexico, Wyoming, North Dakota, South Dakota and the upper half of Nebraska. And [illegible] the meaning of the bigger shaded area, which [illegible] half of the land area of the U.S.A. After they've had [illegible] guesses, give them the answer. In 1952 the Federal government spent an amount equal to the total incomes of all the people in this big blacked out area.

And [illegible] the last step in the game. [illegible] the black crayon [illegible] additional states: [illegible] Texas [illegible] Arkansas, Louisiana [illegible] half the state of [illegible] of the people [illegible] the huge area of the U.S.A. [illegible] to pay the present expenses of the Federal government.

Frightening Growth

[illegible] "The Shadow." The black area represents the total burden of the Federal government upon the population and resources of the United States. It is overwhelming [illegible] of state and local governments [illegible] the black crayon [illegible] the rest of Alabama and these additional states: Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina and [illegible] of North Carolina. And you then have the total burden of state and national government on the population and resources of the nation.

Nothing could more graphically show the frightening growth and paralyzing effect of a constantly [illegible] and expanding government [illegible] 80 per cent of the land area [illegible] every [illegible] of its human and material resources into the maw of government. And that in effect is what government is doing to the American people. It is far too much. It is [illegible]

The Danger

The basic ingredients of our American way of life cannot survive indefinitely under such an abnormal [illegible] government. It will [illegible] the right to [illegible] of our capital [illegible] of our system of [illegible] and [illegible] which [illegible] one thing.

"The Shadow" ought to be played in every living room in America. The only thing the people have is a [illegible] graphic picture of the figures of our present government [illegible] and they are bound to demand a clamping down on the growth [illegible] of the [illegible] governmental spending for the present fiscal year [illegible] local, state and federal [illegible] equivalent to the total wages and salaries of [illegible] per cent of all the employed people of the nation [illegible] circles government! It is of vital importance now that a start be made toward whittling down the size of government. If unified action is not taken by the citizens, one there is danger that we shall all be engulfed in the spreading black shadow of powerful, free-dominating government.

DALE CARNEGIE

AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING"

Day-Tight Compartments

MRS. SAMUEL ROSENTHAL, Newark, N.J., says she can never remember the time when things, however insignificant, didn't bother her. She worried constantly. In fact she declares she was the "coward who dies a thousand deaths."

When she was told that her mental attitude had brought severe hypertension she was sure that this would inevitably bring about heart trouble. So sure was she that on the day she did suffer a heart attack she knew what it was before the results of a cardiograph were known.

CARNEGIE

While in the hospital she was warned that her worrying would prevent recovery, but by that time she was lost in a whirlpool of regrets and a hopeless outlook for the future.

Then her daughter happened to bring from the library a book, recommended by the librarian. She didn't expect to glean anything from "just a book". The days were long in the hospital and when she began to read to fill in the weary hours, words of wisdom in the book seemed to be written just for her. She read that book over again, and now that she is recuperating at home, she still refers to it.

She says it has wrought for her what well meaning advice from various people, what warnings from doctors, and what her own conscience told her, could never do. And the most valuable piece of advice—for her—that the book contained was to live in day-tight-compartments, and the advice she would pass on to the rest of us is to live each day by itself and not allow worry to enter.

Economic Highlights . . . . .

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable From Local Welfare

As everybody knows, the national income is higher than it ever was. So are wages and prices — the two have a habit of moving pretty well in unison, and so are taxes. Armies of people are earning two or three times as much as in the prewar era.

Yet a great many Americans, despite this statistical prosperity, are going deeper and deeper into debt. Higher incomes have been offset and then some by higher outgo. That is the theme of a Wall Street Journal news article aptly headed "Debts, Debts, Debts."

The paper cites case histories of [illegible] in various cities. These people represent a wide range of occupations and incomes. A Chicago stenographer earning more than [illegible] a year is worried and in debt; the other [illegible] them before it was called. A Detroit couple earning $6,800 has cut its entertainment budget in half and hasn't saved anything in over a year. A $20,000 a year executive has no debts outside of charge accounts and a big mortgage, but thinks he may have to buy a new fur coat for his wife on the installment plan. A San Francisco stenographer said she's always $50 behind, and that her last vacation put her $250 in the red.

These comments, the Wall Street Journal points out, square with Federal Reserve Board figures on outstanding consumer credit. When last August began, the total was $21,[illegible] — a record which marked a $2,000,000,000 jump in one year. They also fit in with a Bureau of Labor Statistics report, covering the 1950 financial experience of families various income brackets in 91 communities. During that year the average family in this group had income after taxes of $4,[illegible] and spent $4,[illegible], for a $400 deficit.

A superficially confusing aspect to the picture is found in the fact that savings, as well as debts, are also at record levels. The Commerce Department finds that they were rising at the annual rate of [illegible] during the second quarter of this year. That is accounted for, in part, the Journal says, because "this definition of savings, of course, includes a lot of things many people wouldn't consider savings, such as repayment of debts on consumer goods . . . so the bigger such debts, and the more the repayments, the more the 'savings.' Also the 5? cent dollars make larger totals."

Lots of people are getting along nicely and are staying out of debt. The Journal quotes a number of these good managers, some in modest income brackets, who have more possessions than ever and still are making both ends meet. But they seem to be exceptions to the rule.

Here is one fly in the ointment of this depreciated money era, and various developments substantiate it. For instance, the steel strike made a hole in automobile production. Yet this scarcity of cars, which some dealers thought would bring in a flood of eager searchers for new machines, was accompanied by a scarcity of buyers. Save for a small handful of makes and models, no one has to wait for the new car of his choice, despite the drop in factory output.

To sum up, most of us have many more dollars to rattle around than we ever had before, but they don't go very far. And many of us are substantially worse off, if we make an honest accounting, than in years when prices, taxes and incomes were all much lower.

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Port Gibson, Miss., Reveille: "Workers in two textile mills in two textile mills in Pawtucket, R. I. have voluntarily agreed to take wage cuts amounting to about 9 cents an hour . . . We congratulate those Pawtucket workers for making a hole in the endless round of higher of labor, higher prices for commodities . . . The decision of these union workers is not only sensible but it shows high regard for justice."

Skowhegan, Main, Independent-Reporter: "That higher prices predicted by the government's stabilization chiefs, does not seem like an unusual forecast. Most of us could make such predictions with union-enforced wage increases and resulting higher production costs forcing price increases. Back of it all is a wasteful government spending more than the taxpayer can pay, thus depreciating the value of the dollar and lowering its purchasing power. All the price control laws in the world won't hold the line against government policies that force production cost increase, promote inflation and devalue the dollar."

Salt Lake City, Utah, Deseret News: "The American Institute of Accountants proposes that the that the government show more confidence in the integrity of the average taxpayer and spend more of its time and effort in a real crackdown on returns obviously out of line . . . Moreover, the Institute thinks the public can help greatly if it can be educated to the idea that the chiseler is not merely a clever fellow, but is a despicable cheat who is stealing money out of his neighbors' pockets. Somebody must pay the tax. If it's not the chiseler, then it must be the rest of us."

THIS WEEK IN Washington

By WALTER SHEAD

NOT ONLY ARE the two presidential candidates wooing the voters of the country on every [illegible] to political success, but business is [illegible] in planning one of the biggest campaigns of all time to get farm business.

Reason is that coast-to-coast the farm market is where they have the most expendable money. Figures of the Federal Reserve Board, the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Commerce indicate there is in the pockets of the 23 million folks now living on farms in this country a potential cash market of more than $20 billions of dollars, money that is available to buy most everything from fertilizers to soil chemicals to farm equipment, home freezers, air conditioners, all kinds of electrical consumer goods, tractors, trucks, furniture, television and many other items.

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This farm market has been neglected by some of the big business concerns of the country and the records indicate that only seven out of the top 10 big consumer goods manufacturers have made any serious effort to reach this market with the necessary specialized programs and finances to do a selling job.

However there is every indication this year that fall and winter campaigns are to be undertaken to reach this twin market, a twin market because the farm not only buys industrial but consumer products as well. So it is a different market than any other and can be reached only through special media and special technique in selling.

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A study of the department of Commerce records on national income shows this definite pattern — that where farms are most prosperous, urban income is highest in that area and that farm prosperity follows in the wake of farm electrification and is in direct ratio to percentage of electrified farms in a given area.

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For example the area of highest total income in the country is in the middle Atlantic states of Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey with a total spendable income of $[illegible] billions. The 2[illegible],000 farms in these three states are 9[illegible] percent electrified and the farmers own a larger percentage of autos, washing machines, home freezers and other modern equipment than in any other area.

Next highest expendable income area is in the east north central states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin with total expendable income of $57.6 billions. The [illegible],000 farms in this area are 9[illegible] percent electrified and farmers own next highest percentage of autos, telephones and modern electrical equipment.

Third highest segment in total income is in Pacific coast states of Washington, Oregon and California with a total income of $30.1 billions and [illegible] farms in these states are 91.4 percent electrified.

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Next comes the south Atlantic states with total income of $[illegible] billions, west north central with $[illegible] billions, west south central with $[illegible] billions, New England with $1[illegible] billions, east south central with $11.7 billions and mountain states with $[illegible] billions. Only areas where pattern is broken is in New England where 1[illegible] farms are 9[illegible] percent electrified and in mountain states where 1[illegible] farms are only 7[illegible] percent electrified. Mountain state farms however have a big percentage of ranch and grassland acreage.

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The farm market not only is a good market today, but it will continue good since there is to be continued all out production to keep up with rapidly increasing population expected to increase by 30 millions in next 20 years, which means that to maintain present standards, farmers must raise 30 percent more crops on virtually present acreage.

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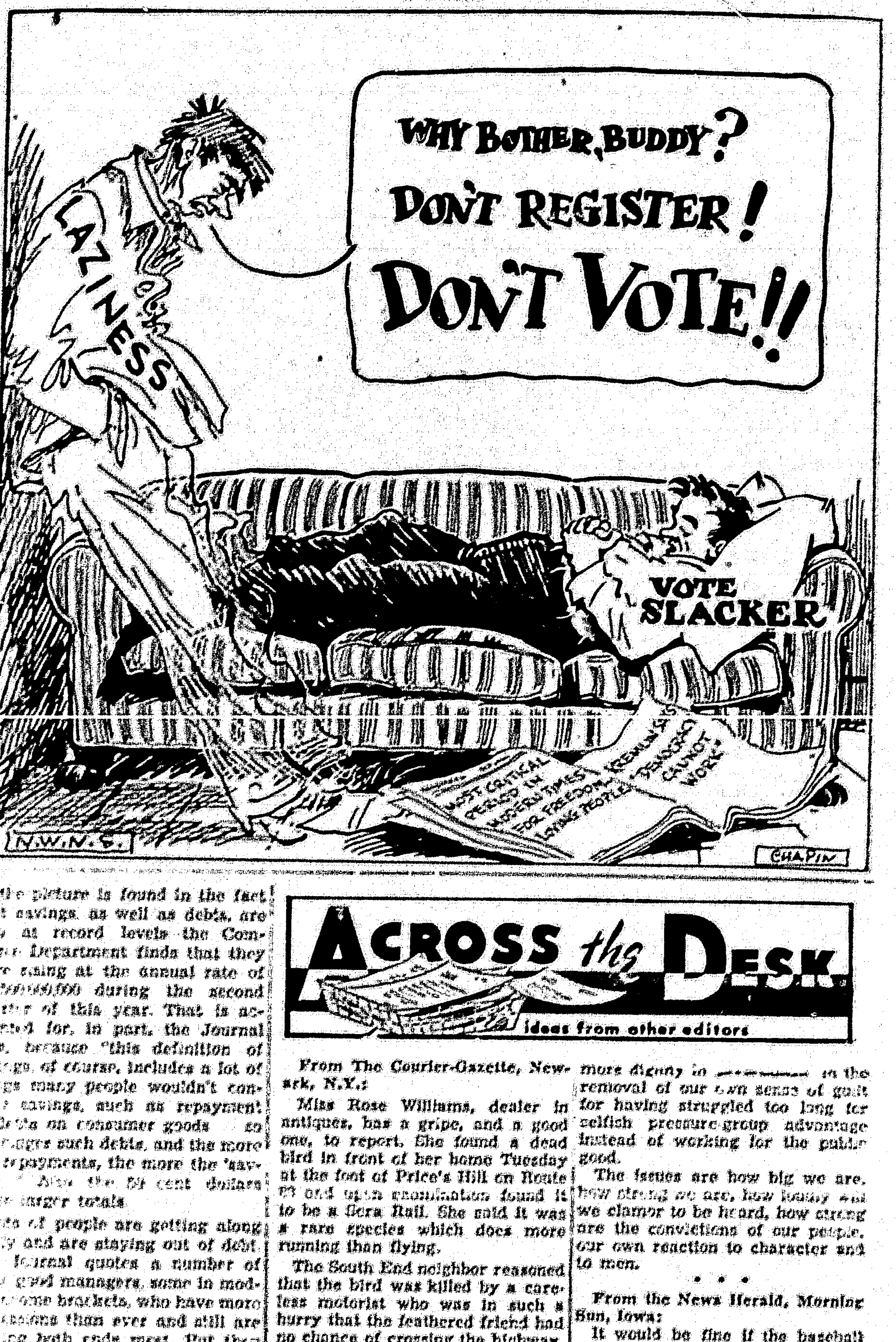

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ACROSS the DESK

ideas from other editors

From The Courier-Gazette, Newark, N.Y.:

Miss Rose Williams, dealer in antiques, has a gripe, and a good one, to report. She found a dead bird in front of her home Tuesday at the foot of Price's Hill on Route 88 and upon examination found it to be a Sora Rail. She said it was a rare species which does more running than flying.

The South End neighbor reasoned that the bird was killed by a careless motorist who was in such a hurry that the feathered friend had no chance of crossing the highway. She also disclosed that three cock pheasants have been killed by cars at the hill's summit.

"Good shooting went with the wind of the automobile," protested Miss Williams who asks for a little more consideration from motorists. She admitted that oftentimes birds would fly blindly into cars but there was no reason for the killing of the Sora Rail.

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From The Clinton County Republican News, St. Johns, Mich.:

There are those who say that it is obvious that the issues of the coming campaign will not be found in platforms and the idle prattle of professional politicians.

The bigger, deeper, more real, less easily definable issues are within ourselves. The issues are to be found in the hearts of our citizens, in our own faith and hopes and aspirations. The issues are in our own intuition, in our longing for something better, a hunger for more dignity in [illegible] in the removal of our own sense of guilt for having struggled too long for selfish pressure-group advantage instead of working for the public good.

The issues are how big we are, how strong we are, how loudly will we clamor to be heard, how strong are the convictions of our people, our own reaction to character and to men.

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From the News Herald, Morning Sun, Iowa:

It would be fine if the baseball season could be brought to a close by the time school opens in the fall. It is mighty rough on the youthful baseball fans who have to be away from radio and television when their favorite team is driving hard for the pennant. And when the World Series comes along the ordeal is more than any youngster should be required to endure.

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From Catskill Mountain Star, Saugerties, N.Y.:

A late news bulletin advises that a couple of Boston scientists are on their way to Alaska to learn whether a white whale's heart works as hard as a man's. Among the things we'd like to know is who holds the whale while they investigate, why do they insist on a white one, and is their control a big hearted man or one of those human worms? The cost of such an excursion would send a bunch of kids to camp for a couple of weeks . . . and provide even more valuable research data on hearts.

From 100 tons of dry sugar cane, 2380 gallons of gasoline, 8420 gallons of medium oil, 1219 gallons of lubricating oil, and 845 tons of raw sugar can be made.

Hunting is good on many Maine farms. The farmers usually don't mind your hunting there as long as you don't destroy property or cause unnecessary disturbance.

Crossword Puzzle

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14 Native metal
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23 Those who desire eagerly
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36 Pacific island arrow poison
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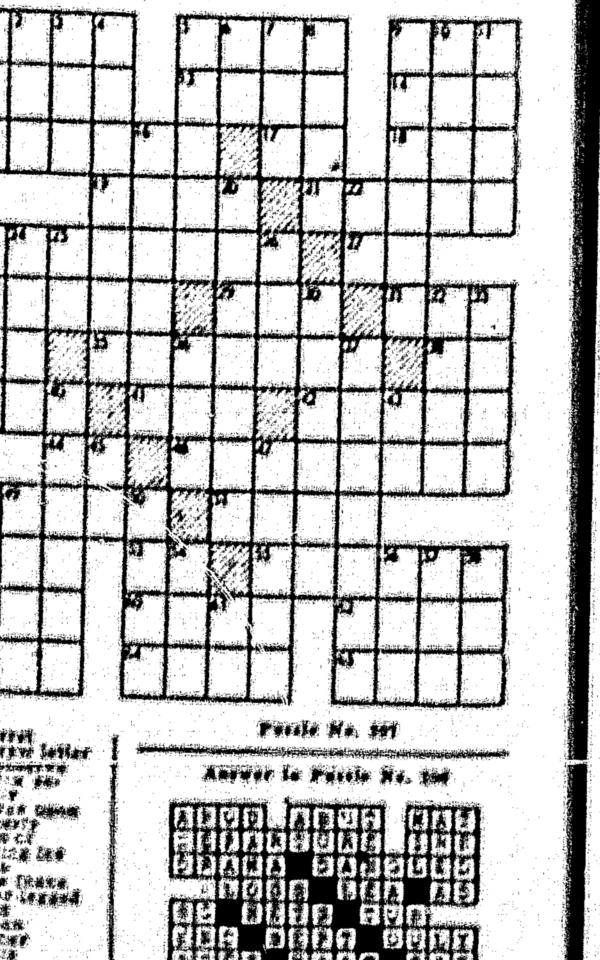

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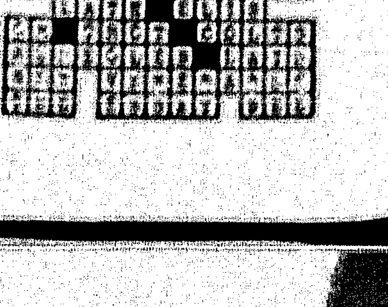

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ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER—AND VICINITY—

— Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres. —

Sunday was World Wide Communion Sunday. The Albany service was conducted by the Rev Alvin Strong.

A surprise party was given Mr and Mrs Hugh Stearns to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary, Wednesday, October 1, at the Grange Hall, with about one hundred friends and relatives present. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening, music for which was furnished by Mrs Hazel Wardwell and Cecil Kimball. Beautiful corsages were presented the family by Mrs Grace Coburn, and pictures were taken by Don Brown of Bethel. Refreshments of punch, sandwiches, and cake were served. They received many nice gifts including a large sum of money.

Pvt Edwin Bumpus is home on a ten-day furlough.

Miss Ivy Philbrook and Miss Marilyn Griffin took Mrs Lilla Stearns and Mrs Daisy Kimball to Portland Saturday to meet the train. They are going to Southern Pines, North Carolina, where they have employment for the winter.

Callers at Harlan Bumpus' Wednesday evening were: Pvt and Mrs Edwin Bumpus and infant daughter, Beth, Miss Cora Bumpus and Mrs Dorothy Merriam of Auburn, Mr and Mrs Squeak Buck and children, Mr and Mrs Howard Inman and children, Andy and Mike, Miss Janice Stearns, and Mr and Mrs Cuvier Hutchinson of Farmington.

Mr and Mrs L J Andrews, Mr and Mrs John Meserve, Mrs Edna York, Mrs Annie Nutting, Mrs Olive Spinney, Mrs Lilla Stearns, Mrs Edith Stearns, and Mrs Annie Bumpus finished painting the Hunt's Corner Cemetery fence Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs Barbara Inman attended the stork shower given Mrs Jean Cummings by Mrs Viola Frechette at her home at Crockett Ridge, Friday evening.

Miss Ivy Philbrook and Miss Marilyn Griffin spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Hugh Stearns.

Pvt and Mrs Edwin Bumpus and infant daughter, Beth, spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Harlan Bumpus and family. On Sunday Pvt and Mrs Edwin Bumpus and Beth, Mr and Mrs Harlan Bumpus and family and Mr and Mrs Arthur Hazelton and children were at Auburn visiting Mr and Mrs Harry Bumpus and family.

The Albany Congregational Church held their annual business meeting at the church vestry Monday evening, Sept. 29. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev Strong. The Notice of Meeting was read by the Clerk, Mrs Hazel Wardwell. Rev Alvin Strong was chosen Moderator and Mrs Hazel Wardwell re-elected Clerk. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the Clerk. The Treasurer's report was read and accepted. A financial report of the Circle was read by the Treasurer, Mrs Olive Spinney. A report of the Sunday School was read by the Superintendent, Mrs Annie Bumpus. Mrs Annie Bumpus was re-elected Treasurer. Mrs Bertha Andrews was elected Trustee. Clyde Hall was elected Councillor with Mrs Olive Spinney, alternate. Mrs Hazel Wardwell was re-elected Organist. A rising vote of thanks and a gift of $10 were presented her for her services. It was voted to accept the Quota recommended by the Parish Finance Committee.

Mrs Annie Bumpus attended the Meeting of Dedication of the Revised Standard Version of the Bible at the Universalist Church at Norway Tuesday evening. The worship service was conducted by the Rev Lello. The speaker, Dr Joseph d'Alfonzo, of Bates College, had as his subject, "The Word of Life in Living Language." A bible was awarded to each of the Sunday Schools in the United Parish and were accepted by the superintendents.

Mr and Mrs Earlon Keniston called at Hugh Stearn's Saturday evening.

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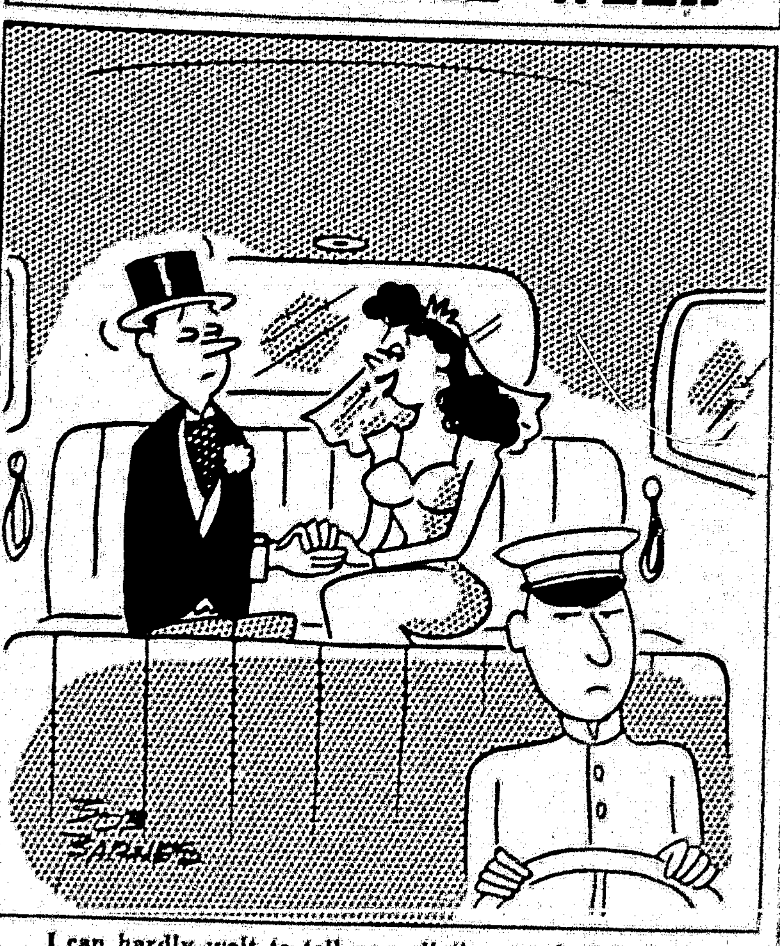
LAFF OF THE WEEK



I can hardly wait to tell you all the wonderful plans for the future Mother has for us.

NORWAY CENTER

Ernest Watson worked at the State Liquor Store the past week.

Mr and Mrs Francis Wyman visited his parents at Gardiner on Monday, Sept. 29.

Sheriff C C Hunt of Paris was in this vicinity last week calling on former neighbors.

Mr and Mrs Harold Thomas from New York State spent a short vacation at their cottage on the west side of Lake Pennesseewassee. They are former residents of South Paris.

Alton Thurston has recently purchased a lot of land adjoining his farm from Mrs Anna Noyes of Norway.

The Reynolds Tree Surgeons of Lewiston have been working several weeks along the Central Maine Power Company lines cutting bushes and taking down large trees.

On Oct. 1 Mr and Mrs Merle Brown and Mr and Mrs Graham Bachelder attended Fryeburg Fair.

Mr and Mrs Chester Thurston were in Lewiston Thursday shopping.

Mary Smith from the village spent Friday night and Saturday with her friend, Judith Wyman.

The Norway Center Whizzers 4-H Club held a meeting Friday afternoon at the home of the leader, Lena Mae Thurston, for the purpose of reorganizing and electing new officers. President, Wayne Thurston; Vice President, Stephen Richards; Secretary, Morton Webber, Jr, Treasurer, Richard Tibbetts; Color Bearer, Terry Richards, Cheer Leader, Donald Wyman. Two guests were present, Lillian and Dean Thurston from Crockett Ridge.

Mr and Mrs Cecil Guilford and family have moved into Clair Thurston's home on Holt Ridge.

Mr and Mrs Chester Thurston accompanied by Mr and Mrs Phillip French of North Norway attended the Norway-Wilton football game on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Alton Thurston motored through the mountains Sunday and enjoyed the colorful autumn foliage.

The boys and girls at the Norway Lake Primary school enjoyed a visit last week from Dr Katherin Briwa, food specialist, from the Extension Service at Orono and Mrs Ruth DeCoteau, Oxford County Home Demonstration Agent. Dr Briwa demonstrated the difference between a well-packed and wholesome lunch and a hastily prepared lunch in a paper bag.

A pinch of sugar added to the water when cooking fresh, frozen or canned peas makes them taste garden fresh.

NEWRY

— Mrs. Leon Enman, Corres. —

Mrs Athie Richardson is spending the week with Mrs Phillip Burns, Bryant Pond.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Leon Enman were Mr and Mrs Francis Beausoliel, Mexico, and Mr and Mrs Earle Enman, Rumford.

Mr and Mrs Erwin Gamble and Mr and Mrs Guy Gamble, Rumford, spent Friday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs Harold Jarvis.

Leroy Learned and Norman Davis were in Byron Sunday visiting Mr and Mrs Norman Harvey.

Mrs Chester Chapman was hostess Monday evening for the "Ladies Circle." Mrs George Learned led devotions. Plans were made for card parties in the near future. The next meeting will be held at Mrs Leon Enman's.

Mr and Mrs Hugh Durgin and family spent the week end with his father at Waterford.

ALBANY-WATERFORD

— Lillian L. Brown, Corres. —

Mrs Abbie Rugg and son Robert, who have had employment at Rosebrook Camps have finished work and returned to their home here.

Walter Lord bought two cows and two calves of Colin Gorman Saturday.

Ernest [illegible], Ernest Grover and Stanley Lord of Bethel and Walter Lord of Waterford enjoyed a day recently at Chanes Pond.

Dwight Fields and Mr Potter were in this place Saturday and bought eight head of young stock from the Rice brothers.

Daisy Kimball and Lilla Stearns left Friday for North Carolina where they have employment for the winter.

Robert Rugg visited his sister and family the Robert Pikes at Sumner recently.

Ralph Wentworth, Don Whitney, Holden Sawin and Fred Wentworth were callers in this place Sunday forenoon.

MAGALLOWAY

— Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres. —

Mrs Ewen Cameron returned from the St Louis Hospital Wednesday, October 1, and is some improved in health.

Mr and Mrs Robert Ferris have gone to their former home in Massachusetts to visit their son who is home from Korea.

A Stanley party was held Friday afternoon at Mrs Ewen Cameron's, quite a few ladies were present, despite the rain. A nice lunch of coffee and cake was served.

Mrs Clinton Bennett is recovering from her illness and is able to be up and around again.

Claude C Linnell Jr. is building a new foundation for another house. He has bought a house in Stark, N. H., which he plans to take down and haul here and then rebuild it.

Richard Turner, son of Odlan Turner and the late Alice Linnell Turner was married in Berlin, N. H., October 4th, to Miss Barbara Frechette of that City.

Mrs Clifton Littlehale was calling on friends here last Wednesday afternoon.

Frank Menchin, his daughter, Mrs Ethel Smith and daughter-in-law, Mrs Otis Menchin, of Woburn, Mass., visited at Ewen Cameron's several days last week. Miss Claire Menchin returned to Woburn with them.

The Rev George T Duke held services at the Wilson's Mills Church Sunday, October 5. Mrs Duke played the organ.

The fishing season is over but a lot of men are coming for partridge and duck hunting. All the sporting camps are filling fast.

Archie Travers and family of Portland, are staying with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Archie Bennett.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. C. James Knights, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs George Abbott and Mr and Mrs Frank Noyes attended Fryeburg Fair on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Leslie Abbott called at John Hemingway's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs C James Knights visited last Wednesday with her sister, Mrs Frank Sweetser.

Mrs Lee Billings was at Rumford on business Monday.

Sunday supper and evening guests of Mary E Knights and Billy were Mrs Catherine Polquin, son Arthur also son Walter Wheel-

Middle Intervale Road—

—Mary C. Stanley, Correspondent—

Mrs Richard Carter returned on Saturday from a two week's trip to New York.

Mrs Rose Boyce of West Farmington has been caring for her sister, Mrs John Kennagh.

Mr and Mrs Alvah Cummings and Mr and Mrs Charles Cummings of North Abington, Mass., spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Jasper Cates.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Kennagh and daughter and John Kennagh were in South Paris, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Ward of

er and Miss Leila Rodgers of Lancaster, N. H.

Robert Davis went to Fryeburg Fair with Dana Dudley on Friday.

Herbert Noyes has traded cars.

North Sebago spent Sunday at his brother's, Willis Ward's, and family.

Mr and Mrs Walter Reed had as guests Sunday, her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Dudley, of Newton, Mass.

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Goldette Grapefruit Sections	No. 303 Can 2 for 29c	SPIC & SPAN	24c
Bountiful White Meat TUNA	No. ½ Can 33c	CRISCO	1 lb. 31c
LaRosa Elbow MACARONI	1 lb. 19c	CRISCO	3 lbs. 85c
LaRosa Thin SPAGHETTI	1 lb. 19c	Snow's FISH CHOWDER	24c
Our Value TOMATOES	No. 2½ Can 27c	Snow's CLAM CHOWDER	15 oz. 24c
Red & White TOMATO PASTE	6 oz. 2 for 21c	BABO	12c
Red & White TOMATO SAUCE	8 oz. 9c	Coupon Pack RINSO	2 for 55c
Red & White PIE CRUST MIX	9 oz. 2 for 29c	Peter Pan PEANUT BUTTER	12 oz. 39c
Red & White SLICED APPLE	No. 2 Can 2 for 39c	Old Dutch CLEANSER	12c
Sun Spun RSP CHERRIES	No. 2 Can 23c	Angle ROAST BEEF	No. 1 Can 59c
King Philip DILL PICKLES	quart 29c	Habitant VEGETABLE SOUP	28 oz. 21c
Thrn. Stfd. MANZ. OLIVES	2 oz. 2 for 37c	Habitant PEA SOUP	28 oz. 17c
		Nabisco Premium Saltine CRACKERS	26c
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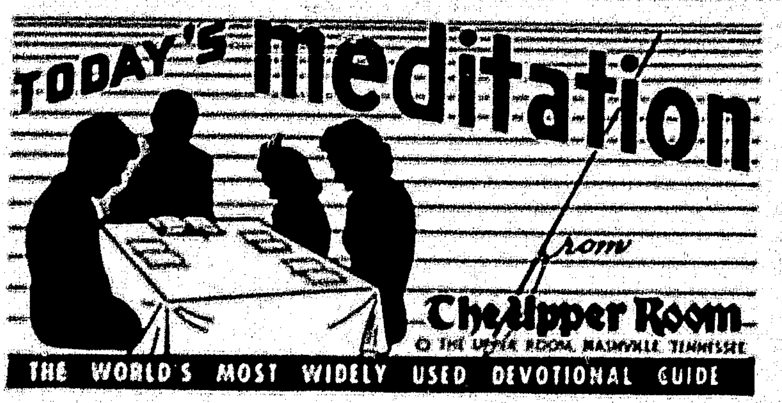
TODAY'S Meditation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THE WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Thursday, October 9

Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. (Acts 2:38, R. S. V.) Read Acts 2:37-42.

MY friend took his automobile to a garage for some engine adjustments. The mechanic lifted the hood. As he began checking the engine, he said, "All this machinery is dependent upon a spark."

This is true not only of automobiles but also of men. To live life abundantly we need the power of the Holy Spirit. With His power we can overcome temptation, enjoy fellowship with one another, and face death with assurance. By the Holy Spirit's energy we are not conformed but transformed. We become more than conquerors.

How is this power to come to us? It comes as a gift. The spark setting the machinery in action is God's gift. A gift cannot be worked for or paid for. It can only be received. When we receive the Holy Spirit, the power that changed timid disciples into confident apostles can change the whole direction of our lives also and make us of their company.

Prayer

O God, we pray that by receiving Thy Holy Spirit we may be fervent in Thy service. Grant to all Thy people the desire to accept the baptism of Thy spirit that Thy Kingdom may come in all the earth. For the sake of Christ our Lord. Amen.

Thought For The Day

Power and unity in Christ come not by the effort of men but as the gift of God.

Maldwyn Edwards (England)

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH
Rev David Hickland, Pastor
Miss Minnie Wilson, Church School Superintendent
Frank Lee Flint, Organist

9:45 a m Regular Session of the Sunday School.

11:00 a m Service of Worship with sermon by the pastor. The sermon subject is "[illegible]". Mrs Philip Foulk will sing "The Prayer Perfect."

A meeting of the music committee at the close of the service. This is important, and every member should be present if possible.

The [illegible] group is asked to meet with Mrs Walker at the church at [illegible] o'clock Sunday afternoon. Plans will be made for regular [illegible] under the direction of Mrs Walker.

WEST PARISH CHURCH
Charles L. Pendleton, Minister
Mrs John Tebbets, Choir Director
Lawrence Ray, Guest Organist

(Services for Sunday, October 12)

9:45 a m Church School. Mrs Henry Hastings, Superintendent.

A cordial welcome is extended to all children of the community who are without a church home.

11:00 a m Morning worship with sermon by Rev Joseph [illegible] of [illegible] pastor.

The choir will sing an old Hebrew melody "The God of Abraham Praise."

7:00 p m Pilgrim Fellowship in the chapel.

Thursday 2:30 p m Ladies Club [illegible] in the chapel 6:30 p m. (Choir rehearsal in the church.)

Wednesday, Oct 22 6:30 p m Family Night with dessert [illegible] by the movie "Make Way for [illegible]". This is the movie [illegible] produced for the [illegible] Evangelical and Reformed and Presbyterian churches. [illegible] for young children will be conducted during the showing of this 45 minute film. All church families are urged to see this film.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The Lesson-Sermon used in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, is available to everyone who desires to study it.

You are cordially invited to attend the services of The Mother Church The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston or the services of the branch church or society near you.

Golden Text: "Bless the Lord O my soul, and forget not all his benefits: who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases; who redeemeth thy life from destruction" (Psalms 103: 2-4).

EXTENSION ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGNS IN HIGH GEAR

County Extension Associations throughout Maine are putting their annual membership campaigns into high gear this week. [illegible] members are asked to renew promptly and all others interested in farming or homemaking are urged to join. Annual meetings of the Extension Associations begin on October 27 and run into November.

TAX TEST ANSWER

1. (b) In 1949 President Truman [illegible]
2. All of them. This year they are as much as all governmental units in the country for 1950.
3. (c) In all but three of the last 21 years our government has gone in the red.
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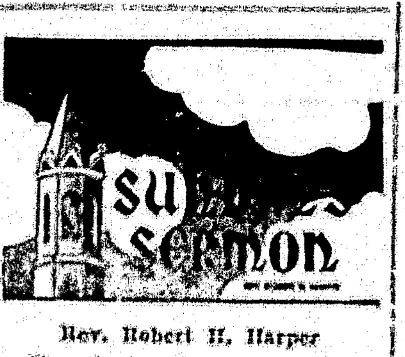

Rev. Robert H. Harper

How Do You Use Power?

Lesson: I Kings 1: 38-40; 3: 5-9; 8: 27-30.

Golden Text. Proverbs 3: 5-6.

AFTER the death of David, the young Solomon, who had been named by David, under the influence of Bathsheba, Benaiah, and Nathan, to succeed himself on the throne, was made king of Israel, with great pomp and ceremony. When he was anointed king, all the people shouted, "Long live king Solomon."

Soon thereafter, when Solomon went to worship at Gibeon, he earnestly sought divine help. God appeared unto him and asked what his request would be. Solomon asked for wisdom, for an understanding heart, that he might govern his people well. Hence arose the statement that Solomon was the wisest man who had ever lived, a statement that was amply verified in some of the decisions that he made. The fame of Solomon went abroad, so that the queen of Sheba "came from the uttermost parts of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon."

That Solomon grew in his spiritual perceptions was shown in his prayer at the dedication of the temple, a prayer in which he recognized the might and omnipresence of God, but he rejoiced that God would condescend to come into the temple to make His name there, and to hear his people in their needs.

Solomon thus, in his early life as king, set an example of the right use of power. Let us learn to use, to the help of God, every gift He makes to us, for his glory.

MAINE EXPECTED TO PRODUCE INCREASE OF 5 MILLION BUSHELS OF SPUDS

Maine potato growers are expected to produce five million bushels more than they did a year ago. The national spud production is estimated at [illegible] million bushels, 12 million more than 1951. Maine average yield has fallen from 440 bushels per acre last year to 375 bushels this year but the national average has dropped only two bushels, from 250 to 248 per acre. Potato prices should be profitable but there should be no shortage of spuds this year.

1952 MAINE FAIR DATES

Androscoggin Agric. Soc., New Gloucester, Oct 6-11.

Sagadahoc Agric & Hort Soc., Topsham, Oct. 14-16.

Look at your license. That's a deer tag, not a man tag, Mr Hunter.

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The SNAPSHOT GUILD

If you are looking for housing ideas you might make some snapshots like this to refresh your memory of homes you've seen and liked.

Snapshots With a Practical Purpose

OF COURSE, all snapshots have a purpose—usually to help us remember something that has a personal or sentimental appeal. But lately I've been hearing about people who are taking pictures of things they want to remember for very practical purposes—they are, in effect, making photographic notes for future reference.

For example, I know one young couple who plan to build a house—one of these days. They are currently at the stage of saving money as fast as they can and dreaming just like the Blandings. However, they want to be very sure that this house is just what they want. So when they take trips, or even just go for a Sunday afternoon drive, they are always looking at houses along the way. When they notice a house that they like especially well, or that has some particularly appealing feature, they snap a picture of it.

If they want to make a close-up shot of a doorway, a window arrangement, or some other feature they always ask the owner's permission. Of course, the owner is always sufficiently flattered by their interest that the answer is always yes.

So now this couple has quite a collection of architectural details mounted in a scrapbook along with clippings from magazines and house plan books. They don't have to trust their memories as to what kind of windows that cute little cottage has. All they have to do is look at the snapshots they made.

It seems to me that this is an idea that might be applied in other fields of interest. A few people are fortunately so talented as to be able to sketch adequately the things they see and would like to remember in some detail for future reference. But for most of us a simple camera offers the quick and easy way to make notes.

—John van Guilder

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WORTH REPEATING

"In 19 of the 22 years from 1930 to 1952 the government each year spent more money than it received, and thus the debt grew in peacetime as well as wartime." — Vergennes (Vt.) Enterprise.

"You can't give labor increases and slash the cost of what it produces. It may be good politics but it's poor economics." Boston Herald.

"The net worth of the average American has fallen from $10,523 in 1939 to $9,023 in 1951. This is a 12% per cent drop." New Haven (Conn.) Register.

Washington, Iowa, Evening Journal: "General Motors paid $1,141,000,000 in taxes in 1951, which amounts to $13.04 in taxes paid per common share of stock, compared with $4.00 per share of dividends to stockholders. Thus, the government gets three times as much out of General Motors than the owners themselves. They call it a 'corporation tax', and many people are inclined to think it is the corporation that pays for it. In reality, the stockholders—millions of them in hundreds of corporations—are paying it out of their savings and investments."

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It is not just former champs like Fitzsimmons or the Chicago White Sox, it is also Mr Nero and Mr Napoleon and Mr Nebuchadnezzar. Also the Carthaginians and the Roman Empire. All the exchamps were hot stuff in their day.

I now come home—to our USA. We been ridin' high—and in the driver's seat—but there are some signs that a new champ may be in the offing. Not right away—but there just the same. Over-confidence accounts for most ex-champs. And sisters and brothers, this land of ours is feeling its oats as it wades into venture—tax free ventures. Tax free to the Govt., but not free to Mr and Mrs Taxpayer.

Across to the north is Canada—Canada is commencing to collect taxes from all Dominion owned business and at same rates as paid by private business there. We don't do that in our USA. An up and coming and promising timber for championship stature, Canada is it. Our USA dinero — our one buck coin of the realm is slipping—it is good for only 96 cents over there. An omen for us to cogitate.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA

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TAX TEST

1. What prominent America made the following statement? "I could stand here all afternoon and give example after example showing that tremendous sums of money are simply being thrown away with a scoop shovel"; (a) Sen Harry F Byrd, (b) President Truman, (c) Senator Taft.

2. This year tax receipts of the Federal government alone are more than the total tax receipts for 1950 for which of the following governmental units: (a) state, (b) county, (c) city.

3. In the past 21 years our federal government has operated in the red: (a) three years, (b) 13 years, (c) 18 years.

4. With the revised federal budget of $79 billion for 1953 will we have a balanced budget: (a) Yes, (b) No.

-Answers Elsewhere on This Page-

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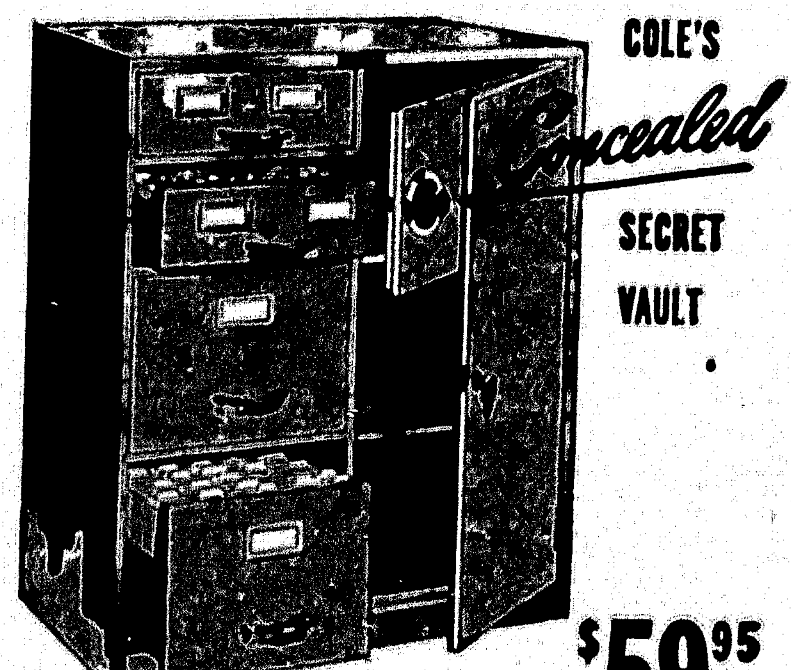

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— Mrs. Malcolm Mundt, Corres. —

Word has been received that Sgt Lawrence Waterhouse's present address is: Sgt Lawrence Waterhouse, RA 11188559, Madigan Army Hospital Ward 21-A, Tacoma, Wash.

Mrs Marion Tyler spent Thursday with Mr and Mrs Clyde Whitman.

Mrs Malcolm Mundt spent Wednesday with Mrs Ernest Mundt.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Whitman of East Hartford, Conn, were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Clyde Whitman.

Mrs Beatrice Andrews visited Mr and Mrs Clyde Whitman Saturday afternoon and evening.

Sunday callers at Mr and Mrs Myron Morrill's were Mr and Mrs Clarence Enman of Portland, Mrs Erma Hardy and Mrs Charles [illegible] lott of Portland.

Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Clyde Whitman were Winfield Whitman and Mr and Mrs Sidney Rogers.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Mundt and Mrs Wilfred Coolidge had supper Sunday with Mr and Mrs Malcolm Mundt and family and spent the evening.

Take your time. Drag out your deer, not your hunting companion.

SONGO POND

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Callers at Leslie Kimballs Sunday were Mr and Mrs Aubrey Graves and boys of Randolph, N. H., Mr and Mrs Ralston Bennett and children of North Fryeburg.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Kimball and Mr and Mrs Ralph Kimball attended the Fryeburg Fair Saturday.

Mrs Daisy Kimball with her sister, Mrs Lilla Stearns, left Saturday morning for North Carolina. Miss Ivy Philbrook come from Vermont to drive them as far as Portland.

Mrs Phyllis Lapham, Mrs Marion Arsenault and Mrs Mrytle Keniston have finished picking apples for Fred Stearns.

Mr and Mrs George Logan and family were in Norway Saturday night.

Leslie Kimball is sick with a bad cold.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Croufeit of Ontario were visiting Mrs Myrtle Keniston Tuesday.

—deferred

Mrs Howard Lapham is able to return to her duties in the A & P store.

Floyd Kimball has returned home from Metallic Island where he was employed for the summer.

Mrs Mae Thomas is spending some time with Mrs Maud Kimball.

Mrs Lorraine Bean entertained Thursday after school in honor of her little son, Scotty, on his third birthday. Invited guests were: Kenny Newell, Bertha, Millie and Linda Kimball, Stuart, Diane and Jackie Cross, Duane Cross, Dorothy Ann, Norma Jean, Ethel Linda and Sylvia Susan Kimball. Delicious refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream, cookies and punch were served. Many nice gifts were presented to Scotty. Also present were Mrs Stuart Cross, Mrs Marion Kimball, Mrs Leah Millett and Mrs Alice Kimball.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all my friends, neighbors and Sunday school class for the nice cards and sunshine box sent me during during my illness caused from an accident at school.

Carolyn Tibbetts

The first written record of sugar is made in the Old Testament, Book of Ezekiel.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this [illegible] day of September 1952.

HENRY H. HASTINGS
(Seal) (My commission expires, Aug. 14, 1953.)

GOULD ACADEMY

The Senior Science Class visited the Ekco Products Company in Locke Mills where they were taken on an extensive tour to see the operation of the mill.

The Ekco Company is a leading manufacturer of wooden handles, rolling pins, and knife set holders.

GOULD TAKES PARIS, 16-0

The Huskies ran up two touchdowns in the first half here Saturday and then ran out of steam as the fighting Paris eleven outfought the locals never did give up all during the last half.

Gould started strong, running up four first downs in a row with Burnham doing the major share of the ball carrying. They were stopped on the 13 yard line and the Cardinals returned the ball to midfield where a recovered fumble gave the locals their first scoring opportunity. It was early in the second period when Linnell went 11 yards to score. Before the period was over, Gould again took advantage of a break as they recovered another Paris fumble. The ball was advanced to the 4 yard line before Melville crashed over for the second touchdown. Bacon made both place kicks good for the extra points and Gould led at half time 14-0.

Both teams battled furiously throughout the second half, but neither team seemed able to accomplish much. The visitors had lost the services of Billy Snow, their right end, who had been playing excellent ball, while Burnham was lost to the Huskies as he injured an ankle. Burnham had been the chief ground gainer until his removal from the game. With only seconds to go and the ball on their own 3 yard line, Paris decided to gamble with a lateral pass in their own end zone. Melville nailed the receiver 5 yards behind the goal line for the only score of the last half. The two point safety gave Gould the final margin of 16 to 0.

This Saturday, Gould will travel to Norway for a two o'clock encounter on the Norway Fair Grounds.

The Summary:

Gould (16) Corey le, Bacon lt, [illegible] lg, [illegible] c, [illegible] rg, Pettapiece rt, Hastings re, Burnham lhb, Rowe qb, Linnell rhb, Murphy fb.

South Paris (0) Foster le, Pechnic lt, MacGowen lg, Morton c, Tuttle rg, Lombard rt, W Snow re, Downing lhb, Leblanc qb, Quinn rhb, Martin fb.

Gould Subs Hodge, Adams, St Lawrence, Cole, Tyler, Merrill, Jeffrey, Melville, Bragg, Corkum, Oakes, Philbrick, Edelstein.

South Paris Irons, Plummer, Jackson, Russell, DeCato, Bennett, Seeley, Gammon, M Snow, Turner.

Touchdowns Linnell and Melville.

Points after touchdowns 2 (placekicks) by Bacon.

Referee Caillet; Umpire Kent; Head Linesman Connors. Time 4 12s.

Sophomore class officers: President, Patricia Allen, Hebron; Vice President, David Biggins, Dhahran Saudi Arabia; Secretary, Marianne Richard, Falmouth Foreside, Portland; Treasurer, Jane Smith, Bethel.

Preparations are under way for the annual observance of Parents' Day which comes on Saturday, Oct 18. Some of the highlights of the day include a football game with Lyndon Institute of Lyndon Vt. on Alumni Field at 2:00 p m followed by a Tea Dance for students in William Bingham Gymnasium and a parents' tea and coffee at the Headmaster's home. The Camera Club will have an exhibit in the basement of Holden Hall. This has always proved to be an interesting highlight of the day.

GIVE US TIME!

In 1913, after a sufficient number of states had ratified the 16th amendment, a seemingly innocuous law was passed by Congress permitting a levy on the income of individuals and corporations. Count von Bernstorff, then German Ambassador to the United States, said: "You have adopted an income tax. That is the beginning. You will have more and more burdensome taxes. What amazes me is that your people seem intent upon following our example, instead of developing the system provided by your Constitution. Wait a few years and see the result!"

Van Bernstorff may have been a poor diplomat but he was a good prophet. Beginning in 1914, with a very modest share of the citizens earnings, this tax is now extracting from individuals alone more than 27 billion dollars per year or 450 dollars for every working person in the county.

Taxation in the United States has passed the point of oppression. About all that can be said is that the tax forms of our Internal Revenue Department do not yet bear the flourish of a royal decree.

A program of interest to both parents and students is being arranged for Saturday night in the gym. It is hoped that all students, parents and friends of the school will reserve the date of Saturday, October 18, and find the opportunity to join in the festivities.

Robert M Zimmerman presented a very interesting and entertaining program, "On the Bottom of the Sea," in a special assembly on Tuesday. Mr Zimmerman is a noted swimmer, having been a member of the Canadian Olympic team in both 1908 and 1912. In addition to his prowess in this field, he has achieved international recognition as a deep-sea diver with 37 years of experience in this work.

He related some amazing stories of adventure on the ocean's floor and illustrated his lecture with a fine display of deep-sea curios.

Mr Zimmerman has been a technical advisor to prominent motion picture companies in the filming of such pictures as "The Submarine Eye," "The Mysterious Island," "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," "Wonders of the Deep," and many others.

His program combined interesting information together with thrilling stories of adventure.

The girls of Gehring Hall enjoyed a breakfast cook out on Saturday morning, a cook out at the school fireplace on Sunday morning, and bike hike and cook out at the Locke Mills picnic grounds on Sunday afternoon.

This same group is making plans for an all day hike up Mount Washington this coming Saturday. Plans are under the supervision of Miss [illegible] Arndt, athletic director for girls.

Kenneth Gray, Warden of Inland Fisheries for the State of Maine, addressed the students on Wednesday afternoon on the topic of safety. The subject is of timely importance at this time of the year at the beginning of hunting season. Mr Gray stressed the fact that it is an individual responsibility to be aware of the danger present whenever firearms are handled carelessly.

The newly elected officers of the French Club are: President, Marcia Theriault, Hanover, N H; secretary, Henrietta Swain, Bethel; treasurer, Peter St Lawrence, Athol, Mass.

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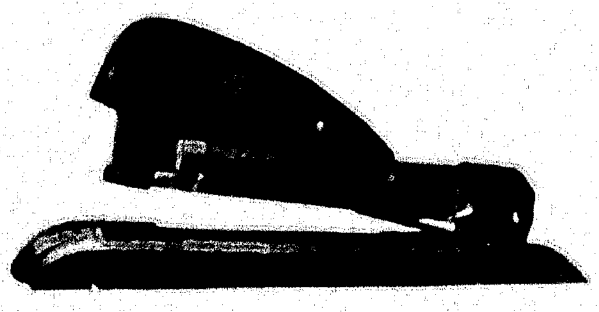

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From Mrs. Etta Jackson, Mogadore, Ohio: I remember when we girls cut up tin cans in strips, wrapped them in paper and rolled our bangs up for curls on them. They made the curls OK but were hard on our heads when we retired for the night.

From H. Floyd Craig, Mt. Gilead, Ohio: I remember when we thought nothing of going a couple of miles through the late winter mud to prayer meeting. We had to put the collar and hames on the horse to pull through the deep clay roads.

From Jannie A. Minton, Lipscomb, Texas: I remember when my mother canned her fruits in brown stone jars and sealed the tops on with sealing wax. She seldom lost a jar from spoiling.

From Mrs. F. W. Macomber, Washburn, N.D.: I remember when my father planted cane in the spring and then in the fall we children had to help strip it and get it ready to take to the sorghum mill to be made into molasses. The man who made the molasses would give us a small paddle to eat the warm molasses. We made rugs from corn husks, braided them to lay at back door to wipe our shoes.

(Mail your memories to THE OLD TIMERS, N.W.N.S., 210 S. Desplaines, Chicago 6.)

LUCKY CLOVER 4-H CLUB

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club held its reorganization meeting Thursday evening at the home of Marguerite Bartlett, 4-H leader.

The officers for 1952-53 are as follows: President, Sandra Olson; Vice President, Judy Harrington; Secetary, Shirlie Bartlett; Treasurer, Dorothy Bartlett; Cheerleader, Nancy Haines; Flag Bearer, Donna Smith.

The Lucky Clover Club was, last year, a very successful club aiding the community with several projects and sponsoring dances. It has just completed its 26th year of work under the guidance of its various leaders making it one of the two oldest club in Oxford County.

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Sliced orange garnish makes good eating with lamb. Sprinkle them with brown sugar, dot with butter and dust lightly with curry powder and broil.

When next you make cream puffs or eclairs, add some finely sieved banana to the vanilla cream filling. This gives you a novel flavor treat.

Sweeten your next batch of applesauce with maple sugar or syrup and serve with cornmeal griddle cakes. You'll like strips of bacon to go along with these.

Chocolate and orange are unusual but welcome team mates. For your next chocolate cake, chocolate frosted, grate some orange rind on top and listen to the call for second helpings.

In place of parsley as a garnish, use the parsley in the food prepared and see how much zest it adds to simple dishes. Chop it fine for hamburgers, salad dressings or biscuits.

Shrimp à la king can be prepared the same way as you do the famous chicken dish of the same name. Serve on a bed of well-seasoned peas or if desired on a bed of rice mixed with peas.

Lime frosting on a white cake does wonders in color and taste appeal. Use a package of cream cheese (3 ounces), 2½ cups confectioners' sugar and 1 tablespoon lime juice. If you like, add 2 teaspoons grated lime rind and mix until smooth.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Cranberry Ribbon Loaf
(Serves 8)

- 1 1-pound can whole cranberry sauce
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- ½ pint heavy cream, whipped
- ¼ cup confectioners' sugar
- ½ cup chopped nuts
- ¼ cup crushed, drained pineapple

Combine cranberry sauce and lemon juice. Pour into refrigerator tray. Blend together remaining ingredients and place this over cranberry sauce. Freeze until firm. Serve in slices as salad or dessert.

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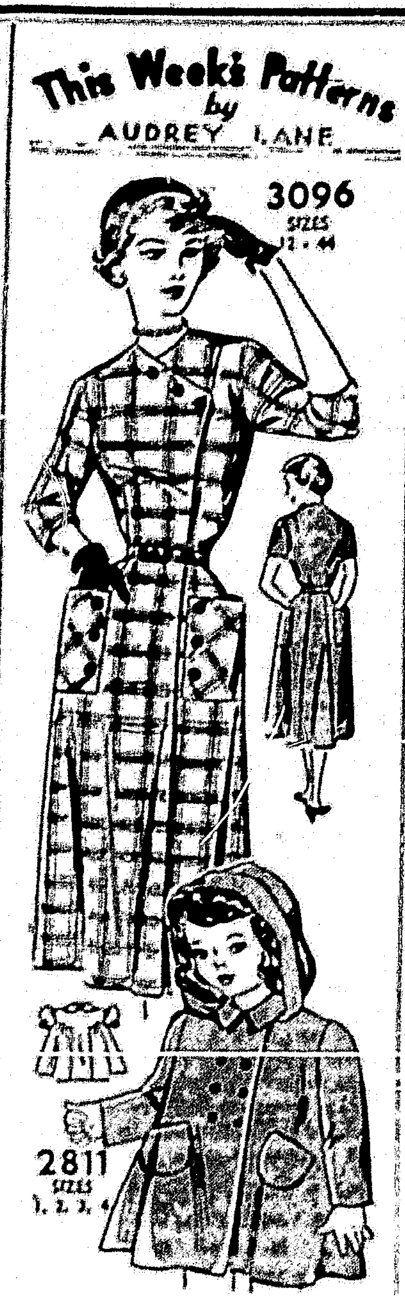

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A PEEK AT THE STARS

By LYN CONNELLY

AS FAMILIAR as any nursery rhyme are the words and music of Gene Autry's radio signature, "I'm Back in the Saddle Again" . To the millions of Americans who hear it every Saturday night on CBS Radio, it's the prelude to a shrewdly balanced, homey half-hour of folk music, comedy, adventure, drama and simple story-telling. A typical show opens with a comic interchange between Autry, chief comedian Pat Buttram, guitarist-singer-comedian Johnny Bond, and possibly Ruby Dandridge as Raindrop. From there it moves through a neatly paced cycle of songs by Autry, the Cass County Boys, the Pinafores and Frankie Marvin.

In a more serious mood, Autry then goes into the telling of the week's dramatized western tale, in which Autry always does his modestly offered best on the side of virtue, law and decency. While the listeners are still recovering from the story's frankly and warmly sentimental ending, Autry and the entire ensemble serenade them once again with a melodious western number, backed by the music of Carl Cotner's orchestra. A pleasant half-hour well spent.

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COLUMBIA:—In Long playing records, this company offers two very fine "albums" . One is waxed by popular Tony Bennett and includes such favorites as "Because of You," "I Won't Cry Anymore," "Boulevard of Broken Dreams," "I Wanna Be Loved," "The Valentino Tango," "Cold, Cold Heart" and "While We're Young" . . . Tony really sells this one and he should make many new fans with it . . . The other worthwhile LP is by Sammy Kaye and the songs are nostalgic and appealing for every taste . . . "Girl of My Dreams," "All the Things You Are," "Josephine," "We'll Meet Again," "Little Girl," "Would You Like to Take a Walk," "Why?" and "My Extraordinary Gal."

WATERFORD

—Mrs. Kathleen O'Leary, Corres.—

We are very happy to report to report Mrs Dennis Gardner is gaining after a severe fall on Wednesday.

Dr and Mrs Elliot Bishop and Mr Brewster of Birch Rock Camp motored to Hanover, N. H., Tuesday. They reported beautiful foliage through the mountains.

Donald Kingman and family spent the week end of September 27th with Mr and Mrs Arthur Kingman in South Waterford.

Nellie Stone has returned to her home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs Charles Bailey, in Bridgton.

Mrs Amy Hubbard is in Boston.

Little Karan Fillebrown has been ill at the home of her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Edward Bean.

Frank Morgan was a guest of his brother, Floyd, in South Paris on Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Laurence O'Leary drove Dr and Mrs Elliot Bishop to Portland Friday. They are returning to Brooklyn, N. Y., after spending most of the summer here at their summer home.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Brown and Mrs Laurence O'Leary were callers at June Penfold's in South Paris recently.

Lila Rice will spend the winter at Lulu Wentworth's nursing home.

Walter Fillebrown celebrated his birthday Thursday October 2 with an evening meal with his son, Charles, and family.

As you read these items our third call for blood for our boys in Korea will be over and I hope all that could will have stepped forward to give a little for our boys that give so much for us. Winter has set in over in Korea and their needs will be more and more. With the hustle and bustle for a new President let us not forget these brave men, so remember, the pint you gave well help replace the quart some brave soldier gave on the battlefield in Korea.

NORTH NEWRY

— Mrs. Roy Tripp, Corres. —

John Vail visited Mr and Mrs Frank Bushley in Rumford, Monday.

Mrs Fred Carson, Danville, Vt., visited her daughter, Mrs Alvin Gross, over the week end.

Mr and Mrs Francis Braun of Yarmouth called on Roy Tripp on Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Leo Gartman of Cranston, R. I., were at their camp last week end.

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SOUTH BETHEL

Mr and Mrs Herbert Stanley of Pittsfield spent the week end at the home of James Spinney.

Mr and Mrs Horace Tibbetts attended Grange meeting at Bryant Pond Saturday evening.

Mary Jane Spinney spent the week end with her sister, Mrs Joseph Deegan at Greenwood.

Mrs James Spinney attended a Grange meeting at Bryant Pond on Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Langway of Waterford spent Sunday evening at James Spinney's.

Mrs Harold Tibbetts spent one day last week with Mrs Day at Bryant Pond.

Mr and Mrs Horace Tibbetts were in Rumford Saturday afternoon shopping.

Mr and Mrs Richard Tibbetts and children returned home last week from Pittsfield where they have been for some time. Mrs Tibbetts and children remained here and Mr Tibbetts' returned to Pittsfield where he is working.

Mr and Mrs Shirley Chase and family and Rodney Chase and family, Mrs Sarah Chase, Mrs Gaudett and Mr Mason, all enjoyed a trip through Grafton Notch and other places Sunday.

Mrs Harold Tibbetts spent Tuesday in Norway.

Mrs Fred Hayward and Mrs Beatrice West from Boston called to see Mrs James Spinney Tuesday.

Horace Tibbetts was home a few days sick this week.

EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. Bernice Noyes, Corres. —

Mrs Dubiois of Bethel is spending this week with her son and family, Mr and Mrs Orial Dubiois.

Mrs Maggie Newton, Jeanne and Merle, Eugene Burns, Ronald and Gerald Piper were at Upton, Sunday, to enjoy a picnic with relatives.

Mr and Mrs Charles E Noyes of Berwick and Mrs Hannah Coolidge of Locke Mills were callers at Leslie Noyes' home Monday.

At the regular meeting of Alder River Grange, Friday evening, Mrs Lottie York, State Lecturer, was the speaker. Guests were present from Winthrop Grange, Bear River Grange and Franklin Grange. An invitation was received from South Paris Grange for Saturday evening and several members attended. An invitation was also received from West Paris Grange which was accepted and several plan to attend on Saturday, Oct. 11.

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This impairment of your judgment and reactions may be measured in split-seconds, but split-seconds are ages in emergencies. So why court *unnecessary* danger? There's no point in arguing with alcoholic beverages . . . you can't win. You'll be wiser—and far safer—to pass up the drink and step into your car with the serene assurance that your driving is absolutely under *your own* control.

"Much of the misery caused by drinking drivers is due to the men and women who "Wouldn't think of driving when I'm drunk." To these thousands there is no danger in driving after one or two, or "a few" drinks. It is they, not the stumbling drunk, who kill and cripple. Call it "tight," "feeling good," or "drunk," it really doesn't matter. What *does* matter is this: your reaction, your perception, your attitude are all changed after one or two drinks."

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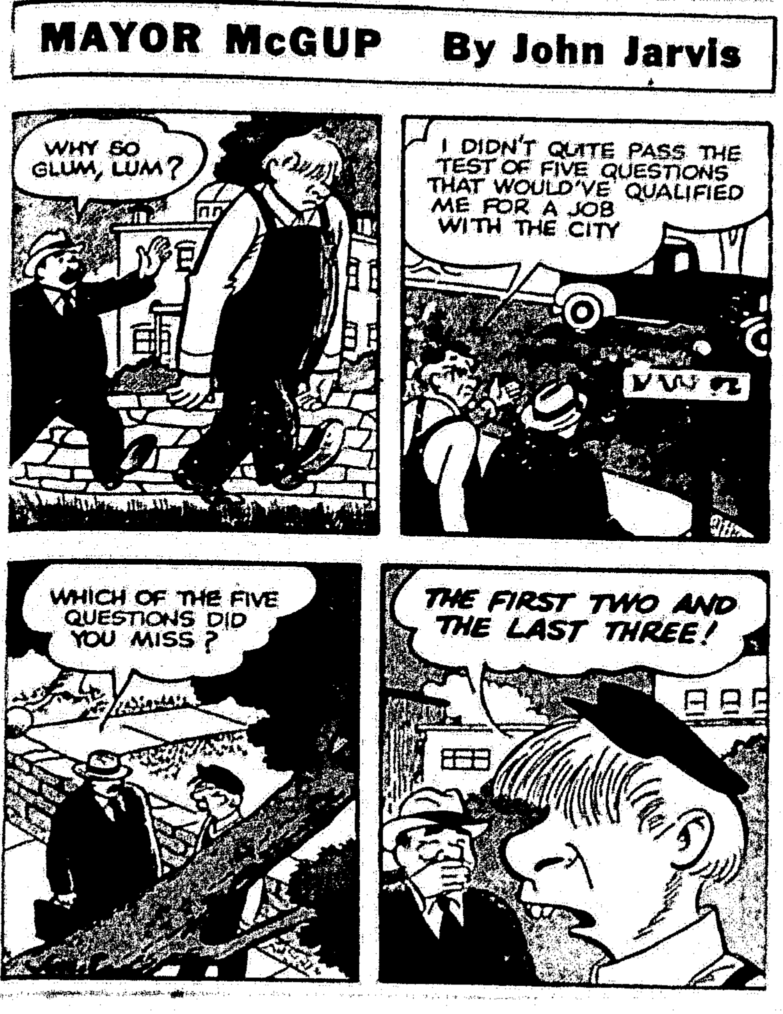
WHY SO GLUM, LUM?
I DIDN'T QUITE PASS THE TEST OF FIVE QUESTIONS THAT WOULD'VE QUALIFIED ME FOR A JOB WITH THE CITY
WHICH OF THE FIVE QUESTIONS DID YOU MISS?
THE FIRST TWO AND THE LAST THREE!

V. A. NEWS LETTER

Maine veterans with active service during World War I who became permanently and totally disabled for reasons not traceable to their service in the Armed Forces may be entitled a pension from the Veterans Administration, according to M L Stoddard, Manager of VA's Togus Center.

Stoddard said the veteran to be eligible must hvae been discharged under conditions other than dishonorable after a minimum of 90 days of service, unless discharged for disability incurred in line of duty.

He further explained that the VA will pay the pension only if the veteran's income does not exceed $1,400 a year without dependents, or $2700 a year if he is married or has a minor child.

The eligible World War I veteran is paid a monthly rate of $6[illegible] which is increased to $75 after 10 years or when the veteran reaches age 65.

Stoddard added that veterans who are entitled to pension and who are so helpless as to need the regular aid and attendance of another person may be eligible for the top pension payment of $129 per month This rate may not apply when the veteran is being hospitalized by the VA or is receiving VA domiciliary

Question: I am a World War I veteran who is entitled to compensation for a service connected disability I have now gone blind Although this disability is not service connected am I entitled to some help from the Veterans Administration?

Answer: You certainly are. The VA will provide you with such aids as approved mechanical and electronic equipment as well as seeing eye or guide dogs The VA will also pay the expense of training you to use the dog and for the dog's medical attention.

EXTENSION SERVICE ISSUES TWO NEW BULLETINS

Maine Extension Bulletin 423, "Extension Serves Maine People," and Maine Extension Bulletin 424, "The New England Basic Class I Milk Price," are just off the presses at the University of Maine. The first is the annual report of the Extension Service and includes many photographs. It's written in popular style. The second explains the background, formula, and operation of the New England basic Class I milk price. Both bulletins may be obtained free from the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Maine, Orono.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

Edwin C. Barnard of Bethel adult ward; Frank W. Linnell of Auburn, Maine, guardian with bond. August 26, 1952.

Charles O Demeritt, late of Bethel, deceased; Cora G. Bennett of Bethel, Executrix without bond Sept. 16, 1952.

Ramsey W. Reynolds, late of Newry, deceased, Lina Reynolds of Newry, Administratrix without bond. Aug 26, 1952 42

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said September The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of October A D 1952, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Gertrude A. Barnard, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Clarence W. Meserve, Admr. C T A

Walter W Brinck, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Dorothy F. Brinck, Administratrix

Edgar E Cross, late of Bethel, deceased, First and final account presented for allowance by Gladys M Cross, administratrix

Witness, Albert J. Stearns Judge of said court at Paris this third Tuesday of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two

C EARLE R CLIFFORD, Register

UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs Guy Pratt of Bethel were recent guests of Mrs Mabel Durkee.

Mr and Mrs T R Hathaway and family of Bryant Pond were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Fred S Judkins and family.

Mr and Mrs Antone Corrica of East Providence, R. I., are spending this week at their camp.

Mr and Mrs Ray Thompson and friends of Natick, Mass., who spent last week here at their summer home, have returned to Massachusetts. He did some repair work on his house while here.

Mr and Mrs Cleo Brown and family of Westbrook were guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs W L Brown and sister, Leita Brown, one day last week.

Mr and Mrs Orvis Powell and family of Lewiston were in town Thursday of last week.

Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Ban Barnett were their daughter and husband, Mr and Mrs Lee Brown of Mexico. Also Mr and Mrs James Barnett and family of Errol, N. H., called in the afternoon.

There is quite a crowd of guests at the Lake House this week.

Alan Fuller, who has spent the last two years in the Navy, and has now been discharged, has been in town twice to see his father. He is living in Andover.

Motorists took advantage of the beautiful day Sunday by coming up through the mountains to see the gorgeous foliage. Many of them say it is the most beautiful place in New England. Traffic was heavy from mid-morning until late evening.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Albert Allen Sunday Relatives from Kennebunk, Andover and East Bethel were present.

The regular PTA meeting was held at the schoolhouse on Monday evening of this week Mrs Bertha Lombard entertained with a review of a movie, and a game; also she served lunch of popcorn, cookies and marshmallows.

Mr and Mrs Fred S Judkins attended Pomona Grange at Gilead Tuesday evening this week

C A Judkins and Albert Judkins attended the PMA meeting at Bethel Tuesday evening of this week.

Several attended Sisterhood and K of P meetings at Errol N H, Tuesday evening this week

Until the 18th century sugar was considered a luxury item and a medicine. Queen Elizabeth of England was first to introduce sugar into her domestic household as an article of diet.

WEST PARIS

— Genevra Tuell, Corres. —

First Universalist Church, West Paris, Rev Earle W Dolphin, minister. Worship sermon at 10:45 on Doing Daring, with some of the highlights of the convention interspersed. Youth Fellowship at 6:30. Last Sunday everybody was glad to see the Stone brothers who were on the honor roll at Kents Hill and thereby eligible to come home over the week end.

Mrs Myrtle Richardson and Mrs Linnie Stearns were guests of Mrs Harlan Andrews at their camp in West Sumner, Monday.

The annual meeting of West Paris Cemetery (Wayside Cemetery) will be held Monday evening, Oct. 13, at 7:30, at Firemen's Hall. Every body interested expected to attend.

Granite Chapter, OES, will hold Inspection Night, Thursday with inspecting officers Associate Grand Patron, Carroll W Hodgkins of Portland. The meeting is preceded by a 6:30 chicken pie supper served by the Forbes Class of the Universalist Church.

Mrs William Ring is home from the Central Oxford County Hospital with her son, Richard Ray.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Todd and children James, Pauline and Patricia spent the week end with her mother Mrs Fannie Varnum at Rumford.

Mrs Mary Cummings, widow of Maurice Cummings, of Boston, is visiting Mrs Alanson Cummings and other relatives after an absence of many years.

Alanson Cummings who is at the Togus Hospital, is making good recovery from his first operation and expects to have two more. Mrs Cummings and aunt visited him Sunday.

Lots of things move beside a deer That motion could be another hunter.

SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs Folyd Verrill of Concord, Mass., are at their cottage for a few days.

Mr and Mrs John Duffy are moving into the Bessie Reynolds house.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Foster of Garden City, N. Y., are at their farm here.

The Sunday River Sunday School gave Miss Patricia Jackson a very unexpected surprise Sunshine Box Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Carl Heino were at Mrs Lina Reynolds Sunday.

Several boys from Bethel helped Richmond Roderick get in some of his winter's wood over the week end.

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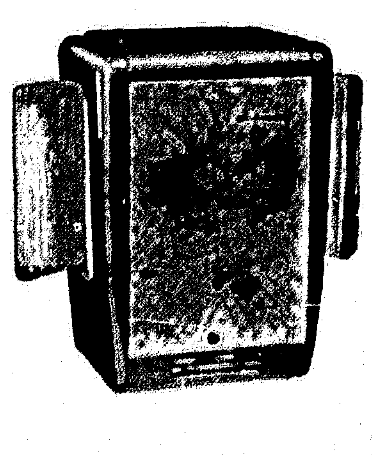

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10 YEARS AGO

D Grover Brooks was elected president of the Bethel Savings Bank, succeeding Frank A Brown, resigned.

Nine students from Bethel and vicinity were registered at the University of Maine.

Death: Mrs Mary Gile Bradbury.

20 YEARS AGO

Sunset Rebekah Lodge and Mt Abram Lodge, IOOF, held a joint installation. A short program and an oyster stew supper followed the meeting.

The Oxford County Teachers met at Stephens High School in Rumford.

Buildings in Gilead near the Bethel town line, belonging to Chester Wheeler, were burned. They were unoccupied.

Paul Chapman and Lawrence Bartlett were attending Gorham State Normal School.

Deaths: Mrs Betsy Mills, Mrs Clara Littlehale, Robert E Wise.

30 YEARS AGO

Woods were closed to hunting on account of extreme dry conditions.

A New Hampshire truck loaded with apples went through the Wild River bridge in Gilead. The bridge was closed about 40 hours for repair.

Prof Edward H Brown and his agricultural class of Norway High school covered the state on an inspection tour.

Dr W E Sargent died at his home in Hebron. Dr Sargent had served thirty-six years as principal of Hebron Academy.

40 YEARS AGO

F J Tyler discontinued horseshoeing at his blacksmith shop.

F C Holt opened the J C Billings shop and advertised to do horseshoeing and general blacksmith work.

The Bethel corn shop closed after a short run and small pack.

50 YEARS AGO

Ripe raspberries were picked in the Wild River region.

Ormando Farwell, East Bethel, cut a thumb and two fingers following an accident when he caught his left hand in an ensilage cutter.

Death: Bertha Brown.

SURPRISE SHOWER

Mrs Edward Hall was tendered a surprise stork shower Friday evening by Mrs Raymond Tripp and Mrs Elton Coolidge at the Tripp home.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed and the guest of honor received many nice gifts. Those attending were Mrs Malcolm Mott, Mrs Forest [illegible], Mrs Stanley Merrill, Mrs Gene Waterhouse, Mrs Elton Coolidge, Mrs Chester Coolidge, Mrs Charles Chapman, Mrs Raymond Tripp, Mrs Henry Boyker, Edith Wiltman, Mrs Belmore Hall, Clara Wiltman, Mrs Inez Wiltman, Mrs Hazel Cary and the Misses Margaret Esther Powell and Roberta Cary.

Sending gifts but unable to attend were Mrs Norma McInnis, Mrs Hazen Emery, Mrs Inez Hathaway, Mrs Edith Hathaway, Mrs Richard Bryant, Mrs Leon Wilson, Mrs Ray Wilson, Mrs Gerald York, Mrs Pearl Cole, Mrs Charles Keith Lane and Miss Marion [illegible], Mrs Edna Smith, Mrs [illegible] Davenport, Mrs Beatrice Farnum and Mrs Alice Farnum.

THIS IS FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

This week, October 5 to 11 is National Fire Prevention Week. All Maine people are urged to clean up hazards and adopt safe practices to prevent fires from breaking out on farms and in homes. Maine folks still remember the disastrous forest fires of 1947 and the hundreds of other costlier forest fires, and [illegible] fires each year. Care less and save property! Help prevent fires!

BORN

In [illegible] N H, Sept [illegible] to Mr and Mrs Harold [illegible] of Bethel, a daughter, Elaine Ruth.

MARRIED

In Bethel, Oct 4, by Rev [illegible] [illegible], Gerald Henry Hathaway, son of [illegible] and Miss [illegible], daughter of [illegible] of Hanover.

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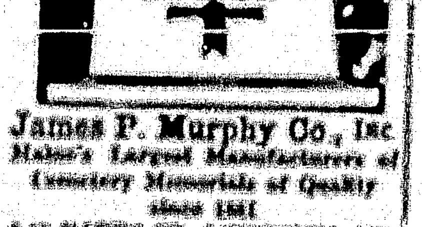

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or provide air space by installing an asbestos guard. If you use an electric or gas heater, be sure to keep it pointed away from walls or furniture.

Chimneys are weak spots, too. They should be checked for loose bricks and cracks—and soot should be cleaned from both chimney and furnace. Right now resolve to form the habit of taking extra care of your heater. If you are not satisfied with the heat you are getting, call in a furnace expert to locate the trouble.

Another blaze-starter is electricity—or rather the mis-use of it. If your fuses burn out frequently, check with an experienced electrician. Perhaps your wiring was put in some years ago and hasn't the capacity to serve your present needs.

Take a look at all your electrical cords tonight. Chances are some of them are frayed. That's a fire hazard. Replace those cords with new ones. Another thing—don't overload your wall plugs. They'll take only a limited number of extensions. Too many may cause the wiring inside the wall to overheat and set fire to your house.

You must see that every member of your family—from grandpa to the toddler—is taught how to avoid setting himself or his home on fire. You must teach him what to do in case a fire breaks out.

Concentrate on teaching your youngsters simple fire safety rules just as you teach them traffic safety. A burnt child fears fire, it's said. But it's far better to teach the child to fear the fire — and avoid getting burned.

You don't need to dramatize fire prevention — just practice it and teach your family to be cautious. Ninety per cent of all home fires can be prevented if we are careful and use common sense in dealing with fire hazards.

When I began this article I asked "Is an article on fire prevention worthwhile?" Now each of you can answer that question. My own answer is that if just one person follows just one of the suggestions I have made and it saves just one life or even one home—this article has been eminently worthwhile.

Mr and Mrs Leland Brown were week end guests of relatives in Portland.

The Ladies Club will meet at 2:30 p m in Garland Chapel Oct 16. Mrs Tom Brown will be hostess, assisted by Mrs W J Greig and Mrs Chester Briggs. A musical program will be in charge of Mrs Briggs.

This is the month of the annual membership drive of the Oxford County Extension Association. The Middle Intervale Group meets in Bethel on the second Tuesday of the month. Anyone desiring to join this group may contact one of the following: Mrs Richard Stevens, Mrs Blake MacKay, Mrs Theodore Emery, Mrs Adrian Knowles, Mrs Frank Israel, Mrs Francis Noyes, Mrs Floyd Coolidge, Mrs Leland Brown, Mrs Wallace Saunders.

One of the out of state guests in town for several days this week is an artist from the Longyear Foundation. His work also includes the position of guide in the house at 20 Paradise Road, Swampscott, Mass., where Mrs Mary Baker Eddy lived when her healing occurred in 1866. This healing led to her discovery of Christian Science. C L Witham enjoyed stopping at Bethel. He found opportunities for good creative work in Bethel and on Leland way.

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Mrs Fred Culver of South Royalton, Vt., is the guest of Miss Cleo Russell.

Mr and Mrs James Belk and Mrs Gladys Wight have been visiting Mr and Mrs Clifford Merrill.

Mr and Mrs Dana Brooks and son Jack were week end guests of Mr and Mrs John Lane, North Brookfield, Mass.

Mrs Guy Rice and daughter Charlene will leave Friday for Boston, to spend the week end with their aunt, Miss May E Cross.

The Boy Scouts will meet at their rooms this Thursday evening. Charles Heino will be the new Scoutmaster, succeeding Harlan Hutchins.

Pvt Ernestine Dorey was at home from Camp Lee, Va., recently, returning last week to Fort Dix, N. J., where she will attend clerical typists school.

The Middle Intervale farm bureau meeting scheduled for Oct. 14 is postponed to Oct. 20. The place of meeting and program will be announced later.

Mr and Mrs Guy Rice and family spent Sunday at Berry's Mills, Carthage, with Mr Rice's aunts, Mrs Lillian Kneeland and Mrs Florence Johansson.

Mr and Mrs Ray Crockett and her sisters, Mrs Harlan Dennison from New Jersey, and Mrs Alice Hall, Norway, took a trip around the mountains, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs John Dillingham of Springfield, Mo., have returned home after spending some time with Mr and Mrs Lewis Smith at East Bethel and Mr and Mrs Charles Reed.

The Bethel Chamber of Commerce held its first meeting of the season Tuesday evening at the Legion rooms. Paul Browne of Vassalboro spoke on "Modern Dairy Practices in Maine."

Lt (jg) James E Rich, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Harold Rich of Bethel, is serving aboard the destroyer tender USS Tidewater, taking part in the NATO Exercise MAIN BRACE in the North Atlantic.

The Homemakers' Chorus, which will sing at the annual extension service meeting, will meet for a rehearsal at the Methodist Church at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, October 15. All interested women in this vicinity are urged to come.

Mr and Mrs Richard Ireland of Middlebury, Vt., Lee Carver of Yale University, Mr and Mrs Earl Davis and Mr and Mrs Stanley Davis attended the wedding of Jerrold Davis and Miss Alice Kordana at Cheshire, Mass., Saturday.

Lewis G Cole Jr, hospital corpsman third class, USN, is serving with the Military Sea Transportation Service, Pacific Fleet, aboard the transport USNS General Mason M Patrick carrying UN troops and U S military dependents between Seattle, Wash., and the Far East.

A TRIBUTE

The passing of Mrs Amy Bennett on September twenty-third at her home in Newry as reported in a recent issue of the Citizen, marked the close of a long and most useful life.

Reared as the oldest daughter in a large family Mrs Bennett began her life of loving service at an early age. Then as the mother of six children, coupled with the household duties to be performed on a large farm, her years were busy ones indeed. However, in those years she found time to lend a helping hand when needed among friends and neighbors.

After her children had grown up, she gave much of her time to practical nursing and helping with the domestic duties of many homes of Newry and the nearby towns. This she continued to do until a few months previous to her death.

One of Mrs Bennett's choicest possessions was a little book in which she had recorded the names of more than one hundred babies at whose birth she had assisted. Frequently when hearing news of some person in this vicinity or of some person who had gone elsewhere to share the world's work Mrs Bennett would say "He was one of my babies."

Mrs Bennett was a loyal and tireless worker in the church and grange. The sale of quilts, aprons, and holders made by her willing hands contributed in no small measure to the support of these organizations.

Thus Mrs Bennett lived her long humble and active life in the faithful performance of the so-called menial tasks which is so often an expression of true greatness.

"Well done, Thou good and
faithful servant.
Enter thou into the joy
of Thy Lord."

Mrs Fern Jordan returned Saturday from a month spent visiting relatives in Vermont.

Ellen Lord celebrated her thirteenth birthday with a party at her home Wednesday evening. Those present were Dawne Christie, Betty Lou York, Kaye Blake, Martha Brown, Roberta Heath, Eleanor Lord and the guest of honor. A birthday supper was served, with a birthday cake.

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"Something to worry about — having so much credit it's impossible for you to pay." — Danbury (Conn.) News-Times.

A driver in a hurry is a dangerous driver, inclined to take risks. Try to plan all trips so that you will have more than enough time to arrive at your destination without hurrying. High speed causes accidents—very often fatal accidents. Your Maine State Police advise: Start early and take it easy.

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